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ADDRESS REPLY TO:
Div. of Apprenticeship Standards
P. O. Box 420603
San Francisco, CA 94142-0603**EC Task Force Meeting
Radisson Inn, Room #303, Sacramento, CA
Minutes
January 24, 2007****Members Present:**Anne Quick
Dave Rowan
Al Tweltridge
Luisa Martinez
Barry Noonan
Terry Seabury
Bill Campbell
Kathleen Barber
Lori Levoir**Guest Present:**

Greg Arcidiacono	Chuck Downing
Diana Limon	Douglas Sawyer
Sherry Yarbrough	Tom Gutierrez
Don Simonich	Don Dixon
Carolyn Nutter	Lowell Reith
Norm Nutter	Kate Leyden
Marilyn Crawford	Alan Darney

The meeting was called to order by the Chairperson, Anne Quick.

Roll call and all members present.

Discussion made on Step by Step Guide for the Electrician Trainees (ET) prepared by Kathleen Barber, Community College, who presented a self guided program that "template is in work" still due to language recommendations and a request was made to add on a counseling program.

Discussion and recommendation made regarding certification cards for apprentices who are in their last year of training who test and pass their certification be held by the program coordinators.

Discussion made that FAQ website should add information on ETs who take the same class over and over again that there be no retake.

Discussion and request made to bring up to Rulemaking in March/April 2007, that for "continuing education", apprentices should be able to go back to the state or federal approved apprenticeship program to get their continuing education credits.

Discussion on ET class hours is 150 hours per year as stated on Regs 296.2 (a).

Discussion on VA benefits that the education providers keep track on the school part.

Discussion on Regs. 296.2 (b) for registration and renewal that education providers must notify DAS within 30 days if an ET withdraws or is withdrawn from courses after enrolling.

Discussion made to bring to rulemaking the issue on FRPA.

Discussion made to bring to rulemaking the issue on Out-of-State ETs who take courses in CA.
Issue need further discussion.

The next scheduled meeting was set on March 7, 2007 after the ECCC meeting at the WECA Training Facility in San Diego.

Meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Staff Aide